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Dear Sir:

In response to the official action mailed April 14, 2008 finally rejecting claims 13-19, applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.